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In re Application of:

John POLK

Application No.: 09/973,865

Filed: October 11, 2001

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS  
FOR CHILD SUPPORT  
PAYMENT PROCESSING AND  
CHILD SUPPORT  
DISBURSEMENT  
PROCESSING

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) Group Art Unit: 2161  
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) Examiner: Not yet assigned  
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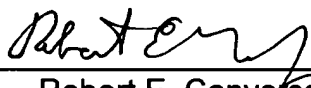
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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Enclosed is a Supplemental Notice of Related Litigation and a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter these papers and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

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The Employer Direct Deposit Pilot of the Iowa/Nebraska EFT Project) did not contain all the printed matter included in the document the plaintiff submitted to the Court.

Attached to this Supplemental Notice, in Addendum A, is a complete copy of Exhibit F as filed by the plaintiff.

Furthermore, the Exhibit F that the plaintiff submitted to the Court did not contain all the printed matter included in the originally published document; therefore, in a concurrently filed Information Disclosure Statement, Applicant submits a complete copy of Exhibit F as originally published by Policy Studies Inc. in June of 1992.

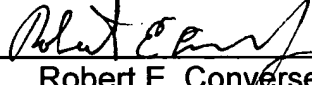
Applicant will continue to keep the PTO informed of further developments in this litigation.

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Respectfully submitted,

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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(b), applicant brings to the attention of the Examiner the documents listed on the attached PTO 1449. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits for the above-referenced application. Copies of the listed documents are attached.

This submission does not represent that a search has been made or that no better art exists and does not constitute an admission that each or all of the listed documents are material or constitute "prior art." If the Examiner applies any of the documents as prior art against any claims in the application and applicant determines that the cited documents do not constitute "prior art" under United States law, applicant reserves the right to present to the office the relevant facts and law regarding the appropriate status of such documents.

Applicant further reserves the right to take appropriate action to establish the patentability of the disclosed invention over the listed documents, should one or more of the documents be applied against the claims of the present application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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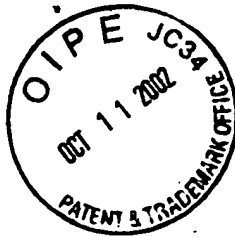
**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE**  
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In a previous Information Disclosure Statement filed on September 20, 2002, Applicant submitted the document listed in the current PTO 1449 form entitled "The Employer Direct Deposit Pilot of the Iowa/Nebraska EFT Project." In this Information Disclosure Statement, Applicant is resubmitting this document because, inadvertently

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and without deceptive intent, an incomplete copy of the document was submitted in the previously-filed Information Disclosure Statement.

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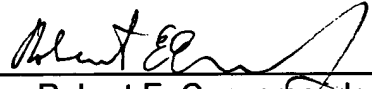
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